

BLAND IS A FIGHTER

Embroids the House Over Sherman's Amendment.

THE SILVER MEN FILIBUSTER

The Present Row May Become Serious During the Coming Week. Bland's Lurid Oratory.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mr. Holman renewed in the house the request made by him yesterday that the senate amendments to the sundry civil appropriation bill—with one exception—be formally non-concurred in and a conference agreed to.

That exception was the Sherman bond amendment, and Mr. Holman proposed that when the conference report upon the other amendments had been made, one day should be devoted to debate on the proposition. Mr. Hatch said that he would make no objection provided that a similar course should be taken with the anti-trust bill, and that it should be sent to a conference committee, but objection was made to this request, whereupon Mr. Hatch emphatically objected to Mr. Holman's proposition.

Mr. Holman moved that the house go into committee of the whole for consideration of the general appropriation bill. Notwithstanding Mr. Hatch's opposition, Mr. Holman's motion was agreed to—yeas, 137; nays, 103.

The first bill on the calendar was the Indian appropriation bill. This bill Mr. Holman requested should be passed over for the present.

The Fight Begins.

Mr. Holman then asked unanimous consent that all the senate amendments be non-concurred in with the exception of the Sherman bond amendment, on which debate should be had until 4 o'clock Monday. To this proposition Mr. Bland objected. But to this, after a noisy discussion, Mr. Cockerell, objected, and the routine work of considering the senate amendment resumed was started. But the silver men were on the alert, and Mr. Pierce raised the point of no quorum on a motion to non-concur in the first senate amendment. The amendment was non-concurred in—193 yeas.

On the motion to non-concur in the next amendment, being one for the construction of the public building at Omaha, Neb., Mr. Bland raised the point of no quorum.

During the dreary wait for a quorum the silver men had an informal conference, the result of which was that Mr. Bland withdrew his point, but on the next amendment took the floor with a speech on the financial situation.

Dramatic Mr. Bland.

He reviewed the monetary legislation of the country and severely opposed the Sherman amendment. He did not believe that any man would be so foolish as to consider the suffrage of the people. He said that the people of the country were not to be deceived by the gold standard. He said that the people of the country were not to be deceived by the gold standard. He said that the people of the country were not to be deceived by the gold standard.

SCATHING CRITICISM.

Beckwith's Appointment Denounced by Wyoming Democrats.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 25.—Governor Osborne of Wyoming is stopping at the St. James, and was interviewed today by a United Press reporter. The governor is a good looking young man, with auburn hair and mustache, and apparently about 25 years of age, but in reality 34. The reporter inquired:

"How was the nomination of Beckwith as United States senator received in Wyoming?"

"I don't know. I sent in my nomination, fifteen minutes before I left Cheyenne. I telegraphed the fact to Mr. Beckwith and then took the train. I don't know whether he will accept the office. He was not a candidate for it."

"Have the cattle troubles been permanently settled?"

"I think so."

"Do you think the cattle barons will resist their attempt to drive small settlers?"

"No, the settlers are prepared for them now and capable of resisting any attack."

"Was the trouble between the barons and the settlers an issue in the last campaign?"

"It was. It was the people against the ring and the people triumphed. What kind of a man is Senator Beckwith?"

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an anomaly? With a record as a democrat as crooked as the hind leg of a dog, a man without sympathy with the campaign issues, who never by word or deed contributed anything to the party's success, a man who played the knife to the hilt into the democratic back of Perry Organs, when he was an unwilling candidate for delegate in congress, who threw the whole weight of his influence against the election of W. H. Holladay, when a candidate for the same position; who slaughtered George T. Beck, when he was a candidate for congress—an individual, in short, who typified tyrannical domination over labor, who fathers Chisness personage in Wyoming and stands sponsor for the truck system. This is the dish which Governor Osborne serves up for the democrats of Wyoming and bids them swallow it. We beg to be excused."

DEMAND A CONFERENCE

The Senate Determined Regarding the Legislative Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mr. Gorman moved to strike out the legislative appropriation bill the reference to investigation of the "salms" of cities, the appropriation of \$20,000 for it having been struck out a few days ago.

The motion was opposed by Mr. Pfeiffer, Mr. Kyle and Mr. Call, the latter making a long speech and quoting largely from recent publications in relation to the evils of working people from the rural districts into large towns and cities in all parts of the world.

Mr. Gorman's amendment was agreed to and the clause "salms investigation," was struck out of the bill.

Mr. Gorman offered an amendment relating to the exportation of commodities by rail from the United States to foreign countries. It requires collectors of customs to make returns of exports to foreign countries by rail. The amendment was agreed to.

The bill was passed, and Mr. Dawes moved the senate insist on its amendments and ask a conference. He said that he knew that the motion was unusual, but that he made it at the request of a member.

The motion was agreed to, and Messrs. Dawes, Allison and Cockerell were appointed conferees on the part of the senate.

Business was suspended in order that a fitting tribute might be paid to the memory of the late Representative F. B. Spindler. The senate then at 5:15, as a mark of respect to the deceased, adjourned till Monday at 11 a. m.

WILL ASK LEWELLING.

Kansas Populists Object to the Supreme Court Decision.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 25.—Immediately after the decision of the supreme court sustaining the republican house as the legal body, the populists went into caucus to decide what course they were to pursue. The meeting lasted into the night, and was addressed by Clemens, Webb, DeLoach, and other populist leaders. Clemens and Webb were in disregard of the mandate of the court and maintaining the populist house organization by force if necessary, but Foster spoke in a more temperate vein and advised acquiescence in the decision. The meeting finally adjourned.

Members of the senate committee to ascertain his views, the committee to report at 9 o'clock Monday morning. No matter what the house as a body decided to do, it is settled that a number of members will take their seats in the republican house on Monday.

TALKING IT OVER.

Gresham and Carlisle Have a Conference With Mr. Cleveland.

LAKESIDE, N. J., Feb. 25.—The Hon. John G. Carlisle arrived from Washington at 8 o'clock this morning and was met at the station by Mrs. Cleveland. He entered the Cleveland carriage and was driven to the cottage, where he found the president-elect, and Judge Gresham waiting him. Mr. Cleveland and his chief advisers had a conference, which lasted over an hour, then Judge Gresham was driven to the station by Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Carlisle went out for a walk. Judge Gresham took the 2:45 train for New York. He declined to talk about the object of his visit, and said he would return at once to Chicago. Mr. Carlisle will be Mr. Cleveland's guest over Sunday.

BOUGHT HANCOCK'S LIBRARY.

But the Senate Has a Fitting Idea of "Jeffersonian Simplicity."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The legislative appropriation bill was taken up in the senate today and an amendment was agreed to appropriating \$75,000 for the purchase of the library of historical manuscript and printed bills and pamphlets.

An amendment, which was offered by Mr. Chandler, making an appropriation for new carpets for the court of claims, was rejected, but Mr. Cockerell, who thought that the carpet might do without new carpets, a while longer, and met by Mr. Dawes, in charge of the bill, who reminded Mr. Chandler that the country was going to have an administration of "Jeffersonian simplicity."

POPULISTS IN KNOCKED OUT.

Their House in the Kansas Legislature Was Wholly Illegal.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 25.—The supreme court this morning, Chief Justice Horne rendering the decision, Justice Johnson concurring and Justice Viles (populist dissenting), sustained the republican house as the legal and constitutional house of representatives of the Kansas legislature and incidentally declared that the acts of the Dunsmore or populist house had no standing in law. The opinion of the chief justice occupied an hour and forty minutes on the delivery and fully exhausted the subject.

HARPER'S SENTENCE COMMUTED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—President Harrison has commuted the sentence of Edward L. Harper, ex-president of the Federal National bank of Cincinnati, sentenced to ten years imprisonment December 12, 1894. Harrison would have set him free in April, 1897, but owing to failing health it is commuted to May 1, 1899.

REJECTED THE REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Mr. McRae submitted to the house the conference report on the bill for the transfer of a portion of the Fort Randall military reservation to the state of Nebraska for school purposes. After half an hour of discussion it was rejected.

NO CHOICE IN WASHINGTON.

CHICAGO, Wd., Feb. 25.—Two half lots for United States senator were taken today without result.

JUDA KILLS HER KIN

An Insane Woman Murders Her Two Sisters.

BOTH VICTIMS SHOT DEAD

The Murderess Goes to the Police Station, Gives Herself Up and Calmly Asks for Protection.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 25.—This afternoon, a few minutes before 2 o'clock, Miss Juda Force, 35 years of age, shot and killed her two sisters, Florence, 30 years of age and Minnie, 25 years. She then walked to the police station and gave herself up, saying she has committed a crime and desired protection. It is believed that the woman is insane. She has been considered irresponsible at times and had frequently threatened to kill members of her family. She says that she has for a year been writing out a statement of the family troubles and just completed it.

Today, when her mother was absent from the house, she sent the servants out on errands. Then going to the room where her sister Florence was sick in bed, she placed a pistol to her right temple and shot her dead. Going to the kitchen where her other sister was, she shot her in the same manner. None of the neighbors heard the shots.

Miss Juda calmly locked the door and went to the police station as described. The bodies of the two women were found by a brother, to whom she had sent a message to the effect that her sister Florence was worse. In response he went home to find the bodies of his dead sisters.

PUGILIST MILLER DEAD.

He Died From the Effects of His Fight With Hawkins.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—William Miller, the pugilist, died this morning from concussion of the brain, caused by a blow received during the fight with J. Hawkins at the city hall in San Francisco. Both featherweights were 21 years old. The fight lasted fifteen rounds, and Miller was severely punished throughout. Hawkins, Jack Hicks, "Spider" Kelly and Joe Soto-Hawkins seconds, and Jim McGraw, who was Miller's opponent, were arrested this morning. This afternoon Manager Harrison of the Pacific club, under whose auspices the fight occurred, was taken into custody, together with Dan Creedon, the referee, and Henry Gallagher, another one of the seconds. Miller's death has caused considerable excitement in pugilistic circles.

BOND SWINDLER CAUGHT.

A Nashville Broker Attempts to Do a Street Railway Company.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 25.—Chief of Police Kelly today arrested a man named John A. Lander, one of the firm of A. L. Landers & Co., the largest firm of brokers in Nashville. The corporation to be caught by the bonds was the Mc-Cove & Mount Vernon Street Railway company of Nashville, and the face of the bonds was \$100,000. Under the alias of J. G. White, Landers made a contract with the Henderson-Krebs Lithograph company of this city to make sixteen \$1,000 bonds of the Street Railway company. The lithographing company believing something to be wrong about the transaction, wrote to Nashville.

WILL DEMAND INDEMNITY.

France Thinks that \$100,000 Will Buy Her Peace.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 25.—Abbe De La Croix de Castries says that France will demand \$100,000 indemnity for the assault made upon him by customs inspectors. The abbe was permitted to bring his effects into the country without question, but later two deputy inspectors examined his baggage. When the deputies started to examine the contents of a trunk containing his altar vestments and articles used in holding mass, the abbe remonstrated, declaring it would be sacrilege. One of the inspectors seized the abbe, and he was about 50 years old, knocking him down and injuring his skull. He also threatened to handcuff him if he interfered again.

TO BLOW UP A DISTILLERY.

Cumminsville Nearly a Victim of a Most Fiendish Plot.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 25.—A daring attempt was made at a late hour last night to blow up the Cumminsville distillery of Cumminsville. An infernal machine had been set to blow up the whole plant, and was only discovered after a lot of explosives were exploded.

Under the building in a place to be reached by high water, was a quantity of phosphoric anhydride and nitro-glycerine. The phosphoric anhydride explodes when it comes in contact with water. This would ignite the nitro-glycerine, and the whole distillery and bonded warehouse would be blown to atoms. It is precisely the scheme employed to blow up the Shufeldt distillery at Chicago.

WILL SEIZE THE STEAMER.

Uncle Sam Takes an Italian Ship for Violating the Neutrality Laws.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—The United States government will seize the American steamer S. Pizzatti for violation of the neutrality laws. During the Brazilian revolution last fall the Pizzatti took a crew of American seamen, arms and munitions of war for the army of Spanish Honduras and took an active part in the suppression of the rebellion. The crew of the steamer filed a protest on returning to New Orleans, and damage suits were begun amounting to \$475,000.

MACKAY DOING WELL.

Telegrams of Sympathy Pour In on Him From Everywhere.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The doctors thought that Mr. Mackay's wound about 8:30 tonight, and say everything is splendid. He has had a good day and could not be doing better. He has received hundreds of telegrams from all over the world offering sympathy in his affliction and congratulations.

upon his fortunate escape. He is in the best of spirits, and remarked in conversation tonight that a man could never know how many friends he has until he dies or comes close to it.

Trappery, at 10:30 p. m., was still alive, but his hopes are entertained for his recovery.

LOST IN THE LAKE.

Steamer George T. Burroughs Frozen in With No Coal Aboard.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Somewhere in the vicinity of Michigan City, about eighteen miles out in the lake, the steamer George T. Burroughs, which sailed from Milwaukee for Chicago Wednesday, lies, her coal all gone and her sea cocks frozen up so that no water can be pumped into the boilers. On board the steamer are Nelson Napier, captain; George Porter, engineer; John Thompson, deck hand; Louis Grier, cook; Edward Porter, deck hand; Owe Larsen, deck hand.

Friday two of the crew walked ashore over the ice to Michigan City and took a train to Chicago. They battled with the ice for eight hours before reaching shore, and were almost exhausted. The men carried picks and poles and were tied together with a rope. This is all that saved their lives, for when one would miss his footing and fall into the ice, the others would hold him up.

Have been sent to the relief of the crew of the Burroughs.

BRAVE MEN DIE.

Massachusetts Sailors Lose Their Lives Attempting to Save Others.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 25.—At a late hour this evening news was received of a terrible disaster off Cutty Hunk, one of the Elizabeth islands, separating Buzzard's Bay from Vineyard Sound. The steamer Volunteer, which arrived from the island, had on board Captain H. H. Smith, a life-saving stationer who said that about 8 o'clock last evening, Willie Wiener, son of the lightkeeper at the west end of the island, said he saw the lights of a vessel off Sow and Pigs' reef. The boat belonging to the Massachusetts Humane society was sent out to the vessel, and the crew were all lost in her despite the heavy sea and the warnings of the captain of the life-saving station. They had a long, hard and dangerous pull amid the angry waves, which threatened every moment to engulf them, but at last succeeded in getting on board of the vessel.

A rope was thrown to the boat, but just as a landing was to be effected a great wave capsize the boat, and in an instant the men were struggling in the ice and cold water. One of the men, Joseph Milton, caught a rope thrown and was drawn on shore, but the crew were all lost but one. The wrecked vessel was the brig Sag, laden with sugar and bound from Cuba for Boston.

They were Capt. Timothy Aiken, Jr., I. H. Tilton, Hiram Jackson, William Right and Fred Aiken. A rope was thrown to Captain Aiken, which he caught and tied around himself three times. All the men but Bright lived on the island. Captain Aiken leaves a wife and seven children, Jackson a wife and three children. Communication was subsequently established with the land, and it was ascertained that the crew were all lost but one. The wrecked vessel was the brig Sag, laden with sugar and bound from Cuba for Boston.

READING AFTER CLAP.

Philadelphia Firms Go to the Wall Without Any Warning.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—A sensation was caused late this afternoon by the announcement that the Coffey & Saylor company, incorporated and controlling the business of the National Union of Philadelphia, had failed.

The Coffey & Saylor company, which was organized with a capital stock of \$500,000. The court took immediate action, and after hearing the statements of Coffey, appointed as the receivers Coffey and William F. Hart.

The court has fixed the bonds to be furnished by the receivers at \$150,000 each. The receivers were empowered to continue the operations of the works, and the business will go on as usual.

The downfall of the two corporations carried with them the firm of J. F. Bailey & Sons. Mr. Bailey said his assets were more than equalled the liabilities but they were in such shape that it would be impossible to realize upon them. He was confident he could pay dollar for dollar, but he might not be able to straighten out the tangle for three months, probably longer.

DOWN AN EMBANKMENT.

Fearful Wreck on the Erie Road at Orleans, N. Y.

ORLEANS, N. Y., Feb. 25.—The Erie road train, No. 8, was wrecked about one mile east of Vandalla at 12:12 p. m., and ten persons seriously and many others slightly injured, though no one was killed. The train was running on a curve of about thirty-eight miles an hour and was rounding a curve on the bank of the Allegheny river when the Pullman dining and sleeping cars jumped the track and were precipitated down a twenty-foot embankment.

It is remarkable that no one was killed in the frightful wreck. The wreck was caused by the spreading of rails. The injuries sustained were mainly contusions and fractures. It is thought all will recover.

Killed Self and Plancher.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 25.—Shortly after 1 o'clock three pistol shots attracted the attention of the people in the neighborhood of Avenue 1 and Sixteenth street, who upon looking around, saw the bodies of a man and woman lying upon the sidewalk. The man was J. Frank Gilguboth, a well known rail agent, and the woman was Miss Dora May Washon. Gilguboth and the young lady had been engaged to marry, but she had yesterday notified him that all was over between them.

Children Burned to Death.

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 25.—S. G. Lieta and wife attended the funeral of a friend this afternoon, leaving their two children at home. Two hours afterward they arrived home, finding their two children in bed with the bed in flames. Before the fire could be extinguished the children were dead. The fire was caused by the children's playing with the fire.

Lynch a Negro.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 25.—Joseph Payne, a negro, was lynched at Johnson, Tenn., on Feb. 25, by a white mob. Payne was a well known man, and was a member of the local militia. He was accused of having killed a white man.

Elevator Dropped.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—D. Murphy, William Seville, D. M. Orrell and John E. Winder, employees of Fairbanks, Morse & Co., boarded a freight elevator

COE OWNS THE LAND

Beats the Government on a Land Grant Case.

AND IS \$12,000,000 RICHER

The Long Contested Algodones Tract in Southwestern Arizona Finally Finds an Owner.

SANTA FE, N. M., Feb. 25.—One of the most important, as well as one of the largest land cases ever tried in the United States, was settled by the United States court of private land claims yesterday. It was the case of Earl E. Coe of Denver, petitioner against the United States of America, respondent, and involved the title to the Algodones grant of over 50,000 acres of the most productive land in southwestern Arizona, worth at the present market value over \$12,000,000. Mr. Coe won the suit and his title to the land is now perfect.

This is the second trial of no case. The land involved lies along the Colorado river from where the Gila river enters into that stream to several miles south of the lower boundary of Arizona in Sonora, Mexico. The grant was made in 1838 to Don Fernando Rodriguez by the Mexican government.

Several years ago Mr. Coe and others became interested in the land and have been working continuously to secure a perfect title. The discovery of the original papers making the grant made it possible to prove conclusively that title.

McAuliffe Is Willing.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 25.—Jack McAuliffe, the world's lightweight champion, this morning sent the following telegram:

"Richard K. Fox—I accept the challenge of St. Louis and will fight him for \$5,000 or \$10,000 a side before the club in America that offers the largest purse. Wire me his reply and I will send first deposit to cover any amount he may put up."

Abbott is the English lightweight, first into prominence through his defeat of Baxter.

Special Days at the Fair.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The ceremonies committee of the world's fair today decided upon the following special days: Denmark, June 6; France, July 11; Liberia, July 26; Haiti, August 14; Netherlands, August 21; Nicaragua, September 1; Brazil, September 5; Costa Rica, September 15; Spain, October 12. These days, it is expected, will be made occasions of special ceremonies and celebrations by the foreign visitors and by Americans of foreign birth or descent.

Brewers Will Not Compromise.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 25.—The executive board of the National Union of United Brewers Workmen held a meeting tonight for the purpose of considering a proposition received from the St. Paul brewery, in which they offer a compromise. The agreement will not be accepted in all probability, as the only concession granted will be to reduce the hours of work to eleven.

Can Build the Bridge.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The senate bill to authorize the Montgomery Bridge company to construct a bridge across the Alabama river, near Montgomery, Ala., was reported from the committee on commerce and navigation, and passed.

Mr. Veto making a special request to that effect in order to oblige Representative Herbert, who has been called to the cabinet.

Allen Sets the Elephant.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—William V. Allen, the recently populist senator from Nebraska who defeated Senator Padlock, arrived in Washington today. This is his first visit to the national capitol. In the afternoon he visited the senate chamber, where Senator Mander introduced him to the senators who will be his associates in the fifty-third congress.

Betting on the Fights.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 25.—A bet of \$200 on Fitzsimmons at 4 to 5 was received at the track today from New York, and one of \$100 on Ryan, even, came from Chicago. Another bet of \$100 was also received on Ryan. The odds are now 9 to 10 and take your pick as between Fitzsimmons and Hall, or Ryan and Dawson. Other betting is unchanged.

Race Trains Collide.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The addition train of the Illinois Central road, which left the Randolph street station at 2 o'clock this afternoon, was run into by an engine thirty minutes later at the Belt Line crossing, near the Hawthorne race track, causing the demolition of two engines and seriously injuring both engines.

Forger McKee Arrested.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—John R. McKee, a forger, was arrested today by the late firm of Pierce, Norton & McKee, of Indianapolis, who had from that city on January 17 having bogus checks and other fraudulent paper to the amount of \$12,000 was arrested here today by Detective Tate.

Allen Mander's Funeral.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The funeral of Allen Mander, late president of the Santa Fe railway, occurred at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Coronado hotel. A large number of prominent railroad men arrived here by special train at noon.

Bought Back Monkeys.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Don J. Leathers of Grand Rapids, Mich., has bought back Monkeys, the apes seen at Eagle Rock, paying Mrs. S. J. Dickinson \$2,000 advance on the price Major Dickinson gave for the station several days ago.

M. R. Fultz Suicides.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25.—M. R. Fultz, a traveling salesman for a wholesale grocery firm in this city, was found dead in his bed at the Revere hotel late this afternoon. A bullet hole in the left side of his head told the story.

Elevator Dropped.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 25.—D. Murphy, William Seville, D. M. Orrell and John E. Winder, employees of Fairbanks, Morse & Co., boarded a freight elevator

to ride up at noon today. The cable parted and the elevator plunged into the basement. Seville was hit from his injuries, while the others were badly hurt.

MAY KEEP HIM OUT.

Democratic Senators Don't Want Mr. Hanchett.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Hawaiian treaty it is thought is dead for this session. It is reluctantly conceded, even by its friends. The action of the senate today in refusing to go into executive session, though that action doubtless had some reference to the Hanchett circuit judge nomination, was also accepted as a conclusive indication that the treaty would be shelved for the balance of the session. The treaty matter can, of course, be taken up in the extra session, which will convene immediately after the present congress dies; but unless some marked change occurs, there is believed to be no prospect of action upon it during the life of the present administration.

It is very plainly hinted by democratic senators that March 4 is not far distant, and that a democratic would make an excellent successor to Judge Jackson. By refusing to go into executive session until the last moment of the present session the confirmation of Hanchett's nomination can thus be readily avoided, and in case of an extra session the plans of the democrats would at once be speedily realized. The republican senators are nearly alive to this, and mean to prevent it if possible.

DID LITTLE BUSINESS.

But the Senate Appropriates \$105,000 for the Soldiers' Home.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 25.—The senate was in session this morning, twenty-five senators giving their attention to the passage of the bills considered in committee of the whole yesterday afternoon. None of the measures were of sufficient importance to occasion a few remarks concerning them.

Among the bills passed were the appropriation of \$105,000 for the Soldiers' home, the appropriation of \$15,000 for the temporary relief of the normal school, the joint resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution relative to the salaries of state officers.

President Giddings announced the appointment of Senators Earle, McGinley, Nease, Crane and Hough to visit the Detroit house of correction.

Senator Stow introduced a resolution providing for sessions of the senate on the afternoons of Saturday March 4 and Monday March 6, and on alternate Saturdays and Mondays thereafter. Senator Morrow concluded that if the senate was enthusiastic for Saturday and Monday sessions that they should be held every week. He proposed an amendment to that effect. The amendment was defeated, the original resolution was adopted and the senate adjourned until Monday night at 9 o'clock.

INSULTED THE LECTURER.

Disgraceful Conduct of Students at the Detroit College of Medicine.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 25.—There's a fine row on in the Detroit College of Medicine, and seniors and juniors will appreciate the fact when examinations come next month. Many of them will be plucked. It all arises